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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing in connection with the above-identified patent application are the following:

- 1) Response to Office Action; (4 pages)
- 2) Petition for a One Month Extension of Time; and (1 page)
- 3) ~~Acknowledgment Postcard.~~

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In response to the Office Action mailed April 29, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the remarks herein. No new matter is presented by the amendments herein.

Please amend claim 1 as provided herein.

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